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The Honorable Commissioner of Patents BOX MISSING PARTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.17(a)(2) AND CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.8

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed April 4, 2002 be extended for one (1) month to and including July 4, 2002. Please debit the \$120 fee (\$65 response fee + \$55 extension fee) from Deposit Account 07-1185 on which the undersigned is allowed to draw.

I hereby certify under 37 CFR 1.8 that the following correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to Honorable Commissioner for Patents, BOX MISSING PARTS, Washington DC 20231. Please return the enclosed postcard acknowledging receipt of this correspondence.

Respectfully submitted.

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